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Contract #: 04-0120F4Cty: SF/ALA Rte: 80 PM: 13.2/13.9File #: 99.28**WELDING INSPECTION REPORT****Resident Engineer:** Siegenthaler, Peter**Address:** 333 Burma Road**City:** Oakland, CA 94607**Report No:** WIR-021465**Date Inspected:** 06-Mar-2011**Project Name:** SAS Superstructure**OSM Arrival Time:** 700**Prime Contractor:** American Bridge/Fluor Enterprises, a JV**OSM Departure Time:** 1900**Contractor:** Zhenhua Port Machinery Company, Ltd (ZPMC) Chanxing Island**Location:** Shanghai, China**CWI Name:** Mr. XU-TAO**CWI Present:** Yes No**Inspected CWI report:** Yes No N/A**Rod Oven in Use:** Yes No N/A**Electrode to specification:** Yes No N/A**Weld Procedures Followed:** Yes No N/A**Qualified Welders:** Yes No N/A**Verified Joint Fit-up:** Yes No N/A**Approved Drawings:** Yes No N/A**Approved WPS:** Yes No N/A**Delayed / Cancelled:** Yes No N/A**Bridge No:** 34-0006**Component:** OBG Segment**Summary of Items Observed:**

On this date CALTRANS OSM Quality Assurance (QA) Inspector Santhosh Ramakrishna Pillai was present during the times noted above for observations relative to fabrication work of the Self Anchored Suspension (SAS) Superstructure being performed by Zhenhua Port Machinery Company (ZPMC) at Changxing Island in Shanghai, China.

This QA inspector randomly observed the following work:

1. INPROCESS:

Orthotropic Box Girder (OBG) at Bay-16:

ZPMC welding personnel performing Flux Core Arc Welding of Fillet welds joining the steel barrier weld joint located on W2-SB14. The weld is designated as W2-SB14-002-128. The welder is identified as 222396. ZPMC QC Mr. MA QIAN LI was onsite monitoring the welding variables. The inprocess Flux Core Arc Welding appears to be progressing in compliance with WPS-B-T-2132-ESAB.

ZPMC welding personnel performing Flux Core Arc Welding of Fillet welds joining the steel barrier weld joint located on W2-SB28. The weld is designated as W2-SB28-001-85. The welder is identified as 048625. ZPMC QC Mr. MA QIAN LI was onsite monitoring the welding variables. The inprocess Flux Core Arc Welding appears to be progressing in compliance with WPS-B-T-2133-ESAB.

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ZPMC welding personnel performing Shielded Metal Arc Welding of Fillet welds joining the steel barrier weld joint located on W2-SB26. The weld is designated as W2-SB26-001-001~012. The welder is identified as 053753. ZPMC QC Mr. MA QIAN LI was onsite monitoring the welding variables. The inprocess Shielded Metal Arc Welding appears to be progressing in compliance with WPS-B-P-2113.

ZPMC welding personnel performing Shielded Metal Arc Welding of Fillet welds joining the steel barrier weld joint located on E5-SB25. The weld is designated as E5-SB25-001-032. The welder is identified as 201905. ZPMC QC Mr. MA QIAN LI was onsite monitoring the welding variables. The inprocess Shielded Metal Arc Welding appears to be progressing in compliance with WPS-B-P-2113.

2. NDT:

Ultrasonic Testing (UT) (A, B, C and D-Scan):

UT carried out as per the ABF submitted Notification No 03042011-1, Item No: 2.

This QA Inspector performed Ultrasonic testing (UT) 10 % of the area that has been previously tested and accepted by ABF Quality control personnel. This QA inspector generated a UT (TL-6027) report on this date. The members are identified as butt joint between side plate to side plate transverse splice weld joint located on 12BE+12CE at cross beam side. According to rejection criteria of "D" Scan procedure that Caltrans QA did not find any Rejected indication at scanning area. The Weld Designation is as follows: OBE12E-003.

Unless otherwise noted, all work observed on this date appeared to generally comply with applicable contract documents.

Summary of Conversations:

No relevant conversations were reported on this date.

Comments

This report is for the purpose of determining conformance with the contract documents and is not for the purpose of making repair or fit for purpose recommendations. Should you require recommendations concerning repairs or remedial efforts please contact Eric Tsang 150-0042-2372, who represents the Office of Structural Materials for your project.

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Reviewed By:	Miller,Mark	QA Reviewer
